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HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the estimated loss of revenue, loss of life and property suffered by the Government and State Government and State Government as a result of Ramjanam Bhumi-Babri Masjid dispute, so far;

(b) whether the Government propose to persuade the parties to the dispute for an out of court settlement for consequent withdrawal of the suit conceived from the Supreme Court; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI)

(a): The Central Govt. does not maintain any such data.

(b) & (c): The Government is firmly of the view that the Ayodhya dispute can be restored either through mutual agreement amongst all parties concerned, or through the verdict of the Judiciary.